

### *Votes to cut excessive government spending from legislation*

Washington, DC - Congressman John Adler voted in favor of the Transportation - Housing and Urban Development Appropriations bill (T-HUD) late last night. This legislation invests in national transportation infrastructure and safety, and seeks to revitalize local communities. The legislation will now be sent to the Senate for consideration.

"Transportation projects create jobs, help local economies, and keep our neighborhoods safe," Congressman Adler said. "Maintaining and improving our local roads is critical to our communities. South Jersey residents pay too much in taxes and deserve their fair share in federal funding."

Congressman Adler announced three projects important to South Jersey residents that are currently included in the bill:

- \$600,000 for the Marlton Circle Elimination, Marlton
- \$300,000 for Reconstruction of Route 571 at Route 527, Toms River
- \$500,000 for the intersection of Route 72 and East Road, Stafford

In addition, Congressman Adler voted for an amendment to cut \$6.5 billion in excessive spending from the bill. Committed to fiscal responsibility, Congressman Adler has been the only New Jersey Democrat to vote against numerous spending bills and to cut \$50.1 billion out of the federal budget.

This bill directs resources to long term transportation plans which will create jobs, make our communities safer and spur economic growth. This legislation invests in the next generation of high speed passenger rail, commuter rail and light rail systems that will increase the efficiency of the Northeast corridor.

## Adler Votes to Fund Local Transportation Projects

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